

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I wonder if anyone has considered that BPL not only would adversely affect the amateur radio service, but other radio services as well. There is VOA, RCI and host of other shortwave broadcasters that originate in North America ... not to mention shortwave signals that come into North America. There are aeronautical radio services on HF. What about radiolocation services? land mobile? maritime mobile? WWV? Coast Guard? Civil Air Patrol? FEMA? the military? Homeland Security? M.A.R.S. ... even C.B.! All of these would be adversely affected by BPL.

BPL is just a short-sighted, opportunistic idea. I doubt that it actually would be allowed to happen. Let broadbanders build their own properly shielded plants/distribution systems. At any rate, we have to expose BPL for what it is.

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